

Montana does not have many radio stations. Part of this is the small population, and part is because mountains prevent long-range signals. Of the five radio stations that I could listen to, K-LOVE is my top choice. It is such a blessing to have a station that plays the kind of music I like and is encouraging. There are no other stations here that offer that kind of programming or the commercial-free format. If K-LOVE were displaced by an LPFM station offering other programming, my whole community would suffer. Every day I see several cars with K-LOVE window stickers and I know many people who listen to the station. With nothing similar to it, losing K-LOVE would leave a huge void in my community. We would lose one of the only Christian stations we receive here and the only station that plays contemporary Christian music. Because it is the only station of its kind some may think that is evidence that it does not serve many, but that would be a false assumption. The Flathead Valley is one of the leading communities for population growth in the country right now and many of the people here are active Christians. It is a very religious community and many listen to and benefit from the programming K-LOVE provides. It is very much in the interest of the entire community here to continue having K-LOVE as a station choice. Forcing this type of programming off the air would be a huge mistake in judgement. Please consider how important this station is to me personally, my family, and my community. Though it may not seem monumental to you, every day I would be affected by this loss. I appreciate the chance to comment on this matter. I will be praying that the best decision is made. Sincerely, Sarah Langlois